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D. H. DAWSON ANNOUNCES.

D. H. Dawson, of Florress, in this issue announces his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the office of Tax Commissioner (Assessor) of Morgan county.

Mr. Dawson needs no introduction from us to the people of this county, having served one term as Tax Commissioner. The people are well acquainted with the man in which he has discharged his duties. All know him to be a man of fine character, making industry and well fitted to continue the work of the office.

The Courier bespeaks for him a careful consideration of the party.

PROSPECTUS FOR 1921.

We deem it proper to give to our readers and prospective subscribers, a general outline of what we intend to give you in the Courier in 1921.

In the way of fiction we will give you, as we did last year, at least four serial stories. These stories are by the best writers of the world, and the four stories, if bought in book form, would cost you \$1.50 each, or \$6.00. These stories are all high class, clean and interesting. In a few weeks we will begin the publication of the first, "Comrades in Peril," which is the graphic and thrilling story of a man and woman who faced perils for the love of each other, and will hold your interest throughout.

Gradually, as we can find them, we are going to add to the list of neighborhood correspondents, and will try to give all the local news of the county. We are striving to have our correspondents give ALL the news, and to steer them away from the too frequent habit of confining their items to a favored few.

Under "Gumption" we will have (the first appearing this week) three articles dealing with the relationship between the residents of the town and country, and the need that each have for the other. We will endeavor to point out some of the things that the business men of the town are overlooking, and a few things that the people of the country do not realize.

The editorial policy will continue as it has—the championship of every better thing for the community.

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WEST LIBERTY'S OPPORTUNITIES.

West Liberty has many opportunities that it is not taking advantage of. It is not good policy to think that because we have no railroads and factories that we can not grow and prosper. I doubt if the town would be better with the class of citizens that factory towns attract.

West Liberty's opportunity is to be a school town. It has an opportunity to build up one of the best schools in the State if our citizens will get behind it and help. The class of citizens that a good school attracts is always the better kind. If Morgan county and West Liberty will prepare to take care of the pupils and provide ample school and dormitory accommodations the school will grow to be one of the most liberal patronized, as well as the best school in the State.

By building up the school and establishing a few business enterprises that will employ local labor, we can have the best small town in the State.

The growth of the school will stimulate other things and we can have the cleanest, most normal and best business small town anywhere.

Since we have small hopes of becoming a city let's make West Liberty the best little town on the map.

ANNOUNCES FOR SHERIFF.

In this issue will be found the announcement of D. H. Perry, of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of sheriff of Morgan county.

Mr. Perry is well known to most of the citizens of the county as a hard-working, honorable, citizen, and he possesses the courage and energy requisite to the proper discharge of the duties of the office to which he aspires. His record as a citizen and a Democrat is all that could be asked, and if elected he will make a splendid official.

We bespeak for his claims a careful consideration at the hands of the party in the county.

PUTTING HIM WISE



Kitty—The last time I saw you with Dolly you seemed to be treating her rather coolly.

Percy—Gracious! Where could it have been, I wonder.

Kitty—In an ice-cream parlor, of course.

WITHHOLDING JUDGMENT.

A New York man left home because his wife gave him flapjacks every morning for breakfast. He deserves no sympathy unless the flapjacks were inedible. A flapjack worthy of the name, served piping hot, with rich golden-butter and ribbon cane syrup, and a cup of good coffee "on the side," is truly a feast fit for the gods, who never tasted anything better on high Olympus. But a flapjack cold and clammy, and just about as digestible as the rubber mat mother puts the flower pot on, is sufficient in our opinion to wreck the happiest home that ever existed.

TRYING OUT AN EDUCATION.

"Well, dad, here's my degree from the agricultural college."
"That's good, son. I can now carry out a little scheme I've been thinking about ever since you went away."
"And what is that?"
"I'm going to see if you can get that diploma of yours into enough dollars to pay off the mortgage this farm."

TRUCBLE MAKERS.

"Would you drop bombs on non-combatants, Mr. Pillsbeck?"
"That depends on the circumstances. People are not always entitled to sympathy merely because they are non-combatants."
"Explain yourself."
"I was thinking of a certain class of diplomats. They never fight, but they are responsible for most of the fighting that is done."

DOESN'T HAVE TO.

"Is Maud one of those women who carry gossip around?"
"No, she has a telephone in her house."

THE SELFISH VIEWPOINT.

"Don't rock the boat!" said the careful man.
"Don't worry," replied the serene egotist. "I can swim."

AFTER THEY WERE MARRIED.

She—I thought that you knew that when a woman kills, she will.
He (sadly)—Only from hearsay, dear.

HONEST CONFESSION.

Marjorie—Everybody seems to notice whether you go to church.
Madge—Yes, dear, that's the only reason I go.—Judge.

PLENTY OF TIME.

Madge—Are you in a hurry?
Marjorie—Why, no. I have no appointment, and I'm only ten minutes late.—Judge.

DECIDEDLY

Madge—Is golf a dau
Marjorie—Well, I like girls who first meet the married or one like.

THE FAMILY CIRCLE

Encouraging Letters from the Members of the Big Family

New Ulysses, Kan., Dec. 25, 1920.

Hoovermale & Elam,
West Liberty, Ky.

Gentlemen:
Enclosed you will find check for \$2.25 to pay my arrearage and to keep the Courier coming. I like it as a letter from home. Would like to hear from F. Moses and Slab often.

As you wanted letters from out of the State subscribers, I will write a few lines which may or may not interest some of your readers.

I left old Morgan in the spring of 1916, with the hope that a change of climate might be beneficial to my health. I am glad to say that I now have good health. When I left there I weighed 116 pounds, now I weigh 140 pounds. This is a nice, level prairie country. For miles and miles you can see nothing but waving grass. A few years ago this was all together a cattle country, but it is fast being developed into a farming country. The principal crops are corn, broom corn, kafir corn, wheat and alfalfa. Crops yield from 20 to 40 bushels per acre. I am farming 180 acres. My crop is making 30 bushels to the acre. I homesteaded 640 acres, which I made land proof a few days ago.

For game we have Jack rabbits, coyotes, badgers and prairie chickens.

If this should escape the waste basket I will write again. Wishing all my old Morgan county friends a merry Christmas and a happy New Year. I remain,

Yours truly,
VICTOR H. BAILEY.

Ashtand, Ky., Dec. 22, 1920.

Hoovermale & Elam,
West Liberty, Ky.

Boys:

We are here at last. Got into our new home the 20th, and we are well satisfied with same. Bruce was right on the job when we arrived. Lucien is spending his school vacation with us.

Our home is all right, but we like to make it better, so please mail the Courier to me at Edgewood Place, Ashtand, Ky., for which find my check enclosed. Please add another year to my subscription.

Thanking you for past favors, we join in wishing you a Merry Christmas and a happy New Year.

Yours very truly,
JOE F. REID.

Mansfield, Ill., Dec. 20, 1920.

Editor Courier,
West Liberty, Ky.

Dear Sir:

Enclosed find check for 75 cents, for which please send me the Licking Valley Courier for six months, as I like to read the home news.

Yours very truly,
G. W. BLANKENSHIP.

Happ, Ky., Dec. 20, 1920.

Editor Courier,
West Liberty, Ky.

Dear Sir:

Will you please send my paper to Happ, Ky., instead of Sassafras? Also, when does my subscription expire?

Yours respectfully,
J. S. BROWN.

Foster, O., Dec. 30, 1920.

Hoovermale & Elam,
West Liberty, Ky.

Dear Sirs:

Haven't received my paper as yet. I would be glad if you would get it coming this way as you know it is like a letter from home. Hoping the Courier much success, I am,

Yours as ever,
A. A. GOSE.

We had failed to get your new address. The Courier will come to you regularly in your new home, and will carry with it the good wishes of the publishers for your welfare.

Salysville, Ky., Dec. 27, 1920.

Licking Valley Courier,
West Liberty, Ky.

Gentlemen:

You will please send my paper to Salysville, Ky., instead of to Hazel Green. Send next week's issue to my present address, as I do not want to miss a single copy. I am always glad to get the news from old Morgan, as I spent twenty years of my life in the county, and will always have a warm place in my heart for the Morgan county people.

Your friend,
D. W. HOWARD.

NO DOUBT.

"Was the dog mad that bit the children who were teasing him?"
"I think the animal was somewhat provoked."

TRANSFERRED

"I sent for the swelling."
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By L. T. Hovermale.

come a city.

The obsession of bigness is upon us. The census reports are the final word about our cities. Chicago in twenty years catches and then hopelessly outdistances Philadelphia. Chicago is a "live" city, one of the marginals of our time. Philadelphia has the adjectives "slow" and "sleepy" fastened upon her garments and wars then as a permanent badge of unworthiness. Down in our South country, Atlanta and Birmingham and Memphis waited for the census reports to see which was the "biggest," the "most progressive," the "best" town. There was a joy in Atlanta and disappointment in Memphis when the reports of the last census came out.

So it is elsewhere. Urbetta wants new mills and machine shops that it may rival Greentown in population and bank clearings. Bigburg wants a new opera house and a street car line down the two main streets, so that it may get in the Urbetta class. Littleville lays off new streets and sells good farm lands at unreasonable prices, hoping this way to start a "boom" and catch up with Bigburg. And out there at the Cross Roads where half a dozen little houses have been put up near the church and the store and the blacksmith shop, to catch and hold for a few months at a time a few families of the more transient and shiftless laboring class—out there in the sun-quickened and wind-refreshed fields, the building of another inconceivable, ungodly house to rent to some unknown stranger, is regarded as another step toward the blissful goal of real townhood.

Yet what real concern to Philadelphia can it be whether that city—making a wholesome and steady growth—is second or third in the list of great cities? What can a few thousand names more or less in the census-taking books amount to with either Atlanta or Memphis when it comes to determining their real merits as cities—their desirability as places for men to live and work, and for children to be born and grown up in?

Does Urbetta really need new manufacturing plants, new rows of squalling "mill-hand" houses, new supplies of smoke and dust and grime, when it thrives on its trade with the surrounding country and has unimpaired and unsuspected beauty spots all along the banks of the little river where the big mills "ought to be?"

Has it ever occurred to Bigburg that it would add more to that place's charm and fragrance to move the pig-pens out of town, to fill up the mud-holes where the "streets" dwindle down into country roads, and to pull down the ramshackle old theatre across from the depot, then to build an opera house or street car line with the prospect of seeing the builder get two per cent out of his money?

And Littleville, where each family has, from either front or back yard, a fine view of a wooded cliff, and where all wide through mud in wet weather and kick up the dust in dry weather as they go to church or post-office—cannot Littleville realize that what it needs is to put down a few rods of concrete walk and to make sure that the trees on the cliff will not be cut? The fields can grow grass and grain and help to pay for the walks, if they are left as fields; cut up into lots, they will grow up in weeds, most likely, and yield no return.

And our Cross Roads friends, why do they want more children of uncertain ancestry and muddled tongues in their schools; more ugly little three-room houses to mar the beauty of the pastures? Can't they see that what the Cross Roads needs is a hitching shed for the farmers' horses, a coat of paint on the "storehouse," and some vines and hedges to screen some of the unkempt-looking out-houses.

Suggest these things to the people of these towns—tell them to make a park of the river bank, to get rid of the mud-holes, to put down the new walks, to build the hitching shed—and they will tell you in all seriousness that they have not the money, that the taxes are too high now, and that what the place needs is new settlers and new enterprises.

And yet the city will buy a site by the river and give it to some corporation, if the corporation can only be induced to build its new mill there instead of elsewhere. There will be big meetings, too, to start that new street car line which is not needed and cannot pay. And if Littleville has a struggling newspaper, that paper will print long accounts of the big sale of lots and the phenomenal growth of our young city, with never a word about the beauty of the green and cliff, or the needlessness of the mud-splattered shoes.

The question with the towns is not "How good?" but "How big?" Surely it is not so everywhere. There must be at least one little city that does not wish to be a big city next year; one country town that does not aspire to be a city at all; one little hamlet that has no desire to push the wheat fields back from its doors. Such places must be, and into their keeping, I am persuaded, has been given the key to the future. Their citizens it will be who shall drain the dream of the city that is possible, the town that ought to be, and bring this dream to pass. For as surely as it is more important that the town be beautiful and clean and well-governed than that it be big, so surely will the present cult of numbers pass away and more rational appreciation of homeliness and wholesome surroundings take its place in the minds of the American towns.

Taken in its entirety, the town of today, big or little, is an unlovely thing. Exceptions there may be, but the rule holds good. In almost every town, too, may be found beauty spots—the residence sections where trees border the parking avenues and the lawns are kept green; public buildings, not faultless perhaps, but dignified and purposeful enough to give the citizens a feeling of pride; smooth, well-lighted streets, and noble business houses towering above the hurrying throngs. There are few even of the smaller towns which have not some feature other of natural beauty or civic achievement which they are proud to possess and glad to see each day. Even the tall smokestacks of the mills, waving the dark plumes of industry above roof and spire, and the grim-faced furnaces which brighten now and then with the unexpected and thrilling splendor of leaping flame and billowing vapor, crimson and purple and rose and turquoise and tender gray—even these most utilitarian structures have their charm. The town is not devoid of beauty; but how seldom can it be said to be beautiful!

Against the noble avenues, clean, fair-fronted on either side, may be placed the unpaved streets of the slum districts or the negro quarters with their dismal lengths of poverty and squalor. Against the stately buildings may be placed the ramshackle old structures which, as well as a stand, often invading the park or the grove.

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unlovely sights, so often that we have splendid palpable reality, built by the cheerful toll of men who love their homes and firm-planted on rocky hillside or billowing prairie with which they recognize kinship. Surely, too, these overly ambitious towns of ours, blind in their worship of size and numbers, may yet open their eyes and see the possibilities that lie about hamlet and village.

"A city is not builded in a day," slings one of our present-day poets; and we need not to expect to see our ideal city, our contented town, spring suddenly into existence. The passion of virtue and beauty and sanity of life is not going to possess any existing "metropolis" and convert it into the city of our dreams. There is no Merlin of industry to bulldoze us a modern Camelot. Nor can we mark than hope that our little town will speedily recognize its kinship with the fields and deliberately set itself the mission of living not only among but flow through its streets and extending with them, of having the atmosphere swirl down and country become but its modernities out into their lanes parts of single well-defined and well-organized whole.

Yet something like this, it seems to me, must come to pass. Slowly, no doubt, as the growth of the trees in the forest or the street, but none the less sure and irrevocable, the little town will come into its own. Some day this town will know itself not as a means, but an end, and plan to become the right sort of town instead of longing to become any sort of a city.

Some day, let us hope, our little city will realize that the pleasant views from the banks of the river and the "counting houses" leading down to the waters edge are real assets, and that properly conserved and

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come complacently to accept them as part of the natural order of things; or also have imagined that the way to gladden them is to "boost the town" and have it grow. If only people came in and land went up and a few men grew rich on account of that, all was well, we need not concern ourselves about the noble trees that were cut down, the clear springs that became defiled, or the poorer families that were ever crowded into less and less desirable homes.

Surely there is another type of city, a finer and higher town ideal. The city that shall be all beautiful, the town that desires more inhabitants, less than better and happier citizens—surely these things exist not only in imagination, but somewhere in the developed they will add more to the satisfaction and daily serenity of life of the city's people than would a new factory, the building of which would soil the vista and make necessary the cutting down of the immortal elms and stately sycamores. When the city has realized this, beauty in any part of it will be cherished, and untidiness or unwholesomeness in a back yard will be considered a crime against the community.

Then, if the promoter of the new factory comes to town, we can imagine the city's head men taking him far down the river bank and saying: "Here, we think, would be a good place for your plant. You see that your smoke will drift away from the town; the railroad spur you need will run behind this bank almost out of sight; and up there on that slope will be a fine place for your workers to live if you wish to build a village for them. We shall insist on paved streets, liberal front yards and gardens, neat exteriors and modern conveniences for these houses. We are willing to help you all we can in getting all the land you need at a reasonable price, and our city engineer and architect will be at your service."

"Small chance for this city to secure the factory after such talk!" I am not sure.

If a few towns said it, the men who wished to build the mills would consider it seriously. Then, if they should be the kind of citizens our city needed, they would begin to see something in it. The town that considered first of all the well-being of its citizens would not be a bad town for an honest business enterprise to locate in. If the town cared enough for the men who worked in the mills to insist that they have neat homes and attractive surroundings, it would surely do its part to keep the mills going and the pay-checks coming.

Some manufacturers think of their employees as co-workers in a great enterprise rather than as a lot of hirelings whose only mission in life is to add to the factory's dividends. Such men would not be driven away by a regard for beauty and an insistence upon decency. The other type of employer our little city, by the river would not need.

In our town, too, I can imagine that with the ruts and mud-holes filled, the broken sidewalks repaired, the old wooden landmark of early days condemned as a menace there would begin to come a feeling that maybe Bigburg did not need to be a city after all. There might come a rest room for visiting shoppers. The merchants and farmers could join to build it and it would help to make them neighbors. Then the merchant might decide he had just as soon sell to the steady customers he had known for years as to folks he had never heard of and whose tastes and whims he did not know. It would be an easy step for the rest room to an entertainment hall, and there the needed opera house would be! With cleaner streets, the yards would brighten up, and after a while the telephone lines might find out that they could string a few wires without cutting the town's finest trees to poles. When that came to pass, anything would be possible—a clean city home, a sanitary inspector who really inspected, everything, in fact, necessary to make the people of the town proud of it and glad to live there.

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of Stacy Fork, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge of Morgan county, subject to the action of the primary of August 1921.

We are authorized to announce
C. P. HENRY,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for county judge of Morgan county, subject to the primary August 1921.

We are authorized to announce
J. V. HENRY,
of White Oak, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Judge of Morgan county, subject to the action of the primary August 6, 1921.

We are authorized to announce
LYNN B. WELLS,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Attorney of Morgan county, subject to the action of the primary of August 1921.

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JOHN W. COFFEE,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Attorney of Morgan county, subject to the action of the primary August 1921.

We are authorized to announce
J. H. WILLIAMS,
of Forest, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Attorney of Morgan county, subject to the August primary 1921.

We are authorized to announce
I. C. FERGUSON,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Morgan county. Deputies on ticket are: Jim Manford McClain, of Lenox, Wise Back, of Ezel, and Sam Henry Lykins, of Caney. Turner Hamilton, of Dingus. Subject to the August primary, 1921.

We are authorized to announce
D. H. PHILLY,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Sheriff of Morgan county, subject to the August primary, 1921.

We are authorized to announce
KELLY MAY,
of Insko, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Clerk of Morgan County Court, subject to the August primary, 1921.

We are authorized to announce
PRICE STEELE,
of Caney, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Court Clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary August 1921.

We are authorized to announce
COLEMAN HELTON,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Court Clerk of Morgan county, subject to the action of the primary August 1921.

We are authorized to announce
G. I. FANNIN,
of Dan, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Court Clerk of Morgan county, at the primary August 1920.

We are authorized to announce
ALONZO PELFREY,
of Elamton, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for County Court Clerk of Morgan county, subject to the action of the August primary 1921.

We are authorized to announce
J. D. LYKINS,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Circuit Court Clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary, August 1921.

We are authorized to announce
I. P. TADLER,
of Greer, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailor of Morgan county, subject to the primary 1921.

We are authorized to announce
DENNIE COITTE,
of Pomp, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Jailor of Morgan county, subject to the August primary, 1921.

We are authorized to announce
H. T. DYER,
of West Liberty, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Jailor of Morgan county, subject to the August primary, 1921.

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C. P. GEVEDON,
of Panama, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Jailor of Morgan county, subject to the August primary, 1921.

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JOHN A. FAIRCHILD,
of Pomp, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Jailor of Morgan county, subject to the August primary, 1921.

We are authorized to announce
H. H. HAMILTON,
of Silver Hill, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Tax Commissioner (Assessor) of Morgan county, subject to the August primary, 1921.

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D. H. DAWSON,
of Florence, as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the office of Tax Commissioner (Assessor) of Morgan county, subject to the August primary, 1921.

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GOSSIP & OUR CORRESPONDENTS THAT MAY OR MAY NOT INTEREST YOU

CANEY.
Press Haneey, of Lemmit, has been visiting relatives here and attending the meeting.
Mrs. Nan Haneey, who has been confined to her room for about two months, is said to be improving.
H. H. Reed, who has been suffering with his eye, is improving.
Miss Roxie Reed, of West Liberty, who is home on her vacation from Midway College, visited relatives here from Friday to Monday.
Miss Maggie Singleton is visiting her sister, Mrs. Harriett Little, at Jackson, this week.
Miss Maxine Whitt left Saturday for Berea School.
Miss Wilma Reed, of Cannel City, was the guest of Miss Mildred Reed Sunday.
Our holiday revival meeting will continue through this week. We praise God for the souls that have already been saved, and hope that many more will be saved ere this meeting closes.
Miss Roxie Reed, of West Liberty, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Arnold, Master Jimmie Harper, and S. J. Lykins were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dora R. Lykins for dinner Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Noah Allen, of Lykins, visited the latter's sister, Mrs. S. R. Reed, Saturday and Sunday.
J. D. Hunter, State Organizer for the J. O. U. A. M., who has been working in Oklahoma, Arkansas and other states, is visiting his wife for a few days.
Henry Benton visited friends at Hazard and Lethair last week.
Troy Lewis, of Lethair, is visiting homefolks this week.

TWO CHUMS.
GRASSY CREEK.
Elder W. L. Gevedon has returned from Stillwater, where he held a two weeks' meeting. He reports twenty six conversions, and a general revival in the church.
There is a revival meeting being held at Grassy Valley by Elders W. L. Gevedon, Allen and others. They report a good meeting.
Messrs Stanley Gevedon, Robert and Beckham Johnson, J. M. Gevedon, and a number of other boys who have been working at Harbottle and other points up the river, are at home on a vacation.
E. J. Lykins and Oscar Ferguson, Edgar Frisby, who has been at the

hospital at Lexington the past two weeks, came in Saturday.
The following were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Barker, Friday evening: Misses Geneva Welsh, Edna Easterling, Della Williams, Goldie Lykins, Grace Byrd, Gladys Steele, Anna Lee Johnson, Eva Frisby and Grace Johnson; Messrs. J. W. Havens, Carl Whiteaker, Elmer Lykins, Jesse Byrd, Snowden Steele, Sam Frisby, Lennie Conley, Ore Steele, Joe Lykins, Hayes Barker, Kiser Johnson, Homer Steele and Russell Barker. All report a splendid time.
Jeff Frisby, L. & N. Brakeman, of Havana, is visiting homefolk.
W. B. Steele, who has been visiting here, returned to his work Wednesday.
Garland Frisby, of Liberty Road, is visiting here.
Crumma Trusty was at Cannel City on business Monday.
R. B. BARKER.

VIPER.
Work is dull at this place at present.
An entertainment and Christmas Tree was given by Miss Martha Smith at Chestnut Point school on Christmas day. All report a good time.
Bunle Woods and Rex Evans are home from the army on a furlough during the holidays.
Mr. and Mrs. Asa Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. Lela Lewis are spending their Christmas holidays with homefolks at Delnet.
John Henry Perry is moving back to Delnet until work is better.
Arie Cornett, of Leslie county, and Miss May Cornett were married on Dec. 28, and will make their home at this place.
A big dance was given by Misses Myrtle and Alto Evans Saturday night, and on Sunday night by Miss Eva and Clarence Woods.
Miss Eva Fannin returned last week from Yocum where she had spent a few days.

IMAGINE.
Administrator's Notice.
I, S. J. Lykins, administrator of the estate of W. J. Whiteaker, deceased, will make settlement of said estate the 1st day of February, 1921, at the residence of the deceased. All persons who have claims against said estate will file their claims with me on or before that date, properly proven, according to law. Also, all persons who owe said estate are hereby notified to settle same on that day.
Given under my hand, this 4th day of January, 1921.
S. H. LYKINS, Administrator.

Grassy Farm for Sale.
Thirty-four acres of extra good brood land for sale, well watered, the year around. Good house and well, two acres bottom land, five acres in woods, some timber. Twenty-one acres in grass, four acres in oats and some good corn land for 1921. Growing orchard.
Farm is well fenced and cross-fenced 100 yards from school house and post-office and on main road. For prices and terms see.
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For Sale.—About 30 nice shoats, weighing about 50 to 100 pounds. Well fed and thrifty. Prices are right.
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Cannibalism!
Ad in a Reading, Pa., newspaper: "WANTED—A few good women to bake in our bakery. Apply to B. & J. Saylor, 401 Penn street."—The American Legion Weekly.

Fight Criminals With Gas.
The Chicago chief of police says that ammonia gas bombs, contained in regulation army gas canisters, will be used by the police of that city to drive criminals into the open when they have barricaded themselves in buildings.

Man, Moral Man.
Man that is born of a woman is small potatoes and few in a hill. He cometh forth as a hoppergrass and is cut down like a sparrowgrass. In infancy he is full of colic and soothing syrup and in age full of rheumatism and cuss words. When he first comes into the world everyone wants to kiss him; before he goes out they all try to kick him. In his youth his mother taketh him across her knee and sweeteneth his life with a slipper, and when he is a man grown his creditors pursue him through the alleys and maketh his walking thoughts miserable. He getteth into politics and his friends cling to him like flies to a molasses barrel, and his opponents call him a crook and a grafter. If he raises a family he is an undesirable tenant; and if he raises a check he is called thief and the law raises the devil with him. If he is poor his wife is a bad manager, and if he is rich he is dishonest and his money is tainted. If he goes to church he is a hypocrite and if he stays away he is a sinner and is damned. If he dies young he misses a great future, and if he lives to a ripe old age it is merely to save funeral expenses. At last he lieth down and riseth not up, but goeth where it is warm enough without clothes. Verily the last end of that man is worse than the first.

For Sale.—About 250 bales of baled oats. First class and will in quantities suit the purchaser.
W. A. CASKEY, West Liberty, Ky.

Burglars Loot Police Station.
While the police were hunting for burglars whose activities have been keeping merchants in High Point, N. C., on guard at their stores all night, the police station was robbed of \$75.

Former Kiser Bill is strenuously trying to suppress the publication of the memoirs of Prince Bismarck. He ought to be convinced by this time that nothing which the Iron Chancellor said about him could do him any harm.

Miss Singleton remarks: "I wouldn't marry the best man in the world," and Mrs. Youngblood replies: "I should say not. I would just like to catch my husband committing bigamy."

Up to thirty a man spends his time in making rash and foolish blunders; from thirty to fifty in trying to make them and all the rest of his life in bragging about them.

"This fellow has palmed fruit in a realistic manner. And he's a wizard at painting nuts."
"Why don't you sit for him, old chap?"

The trouble with remorse is that it never shows up until after the damage has been done.

Every man is born with a will power, but it gets so rusty from lack of use that he can't use it.

Also there are times when one gets the benefit of the doubt when he should get both barrels.

Tell the world you are tired of life and the world will get tired of you.

One little home, sometime may mean an eternity—passion takes no note of time.

It always takes a little of the worst to teach a man to hope for the best.

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How many people get their own bodies ready for winter? Most of us go around all summer in the intense heat burning up energy, working hard all day and sometimes lying awake nights sleepless in the heat.
Winter comes along it catches many people totally unprepared physically. Few of us take stock of our health. Whether we will be well, healthy and strong, we often leave too much to chance.
But now everybody. Nowadays people are learning. They know this winter of enjoying good health is a thing they can help control. If you live right, eat right, get plenty of sleep, breathe fresh air and keep your blood in good condition, you will be all right.
It is so simple. If you feel a little off in health—perhaps worn out and pale—don't take chances. There's no need of it. Buy some Pepto-Mangan of your druggist. Begin taking it today. You can get it in liquid or tablet form. Tell the druggist which you prefer. But to be certain that you get the genuine Pepto-Mangan, ask for it by the full name—"Gude's Pepto-Mangan." Look for the name—"Gude's" on the package.—Advertisement.

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A Town not a town.
A situation unique in town government in that of Craddock, Va., near Norfolk. Craddock has a population of nearly 4,000 and has 1200 home owners. Yet according to a decision of the court it is a town that does not exist. This little town was created by the U. S. Housing Corporation during the war and was cast adrift by Congress without an appropriation. The question as to its legal status arose when a few of the citizens asked for an injunction to restrain the "city council" from spending money that had been contributed by them. The decision was that only Congress has power to remedy the chaotic condition in Craddock. The town is without street lights; schools are closed, police lack power to arrest, etc.

Worse and Worse.
"You call yourself brave," snorted Mrs. Henry Peck scornfully. "You went to war and now you look scared every time I speak to you. Marriage isn't a pitched battle."
"No," replied Henry, starting for shelter. "Marriage is just a steady breaking down of morale."

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE TOWN OF WEST LIBERTY.
We the undersigned committee appointed by the Board of Trustees of Town of West Liberty to make settlements with the Commercial Bank for tax collected for the year 1916, and with J. M. Cottle for the tax collected for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920, and with W. D. Archibald, treasurer of the town, and C. N. Nickell, treasurer of the town, and with W. G. Short, police judge, for the years 1918, 1919 and 1920, submit the following report:
Taxes charged to Commercial Bank.....\$ 04
Amount collected.....55
Amount due the town.....\$36
Taxes charged to J. M. Cottle 1918.....\$891
Taxes charged to J. M. Cottle 1919.....1088
Total.....\$1,979
Which amount has been paid.....\$1,020
Taxes charged to J. M. Cottle for 1920.....\$1,050
Of which has been collected.....20
Leaving due from J. M. Cottle.....\$1,030
Amount due from Bank for 1916.....203
Total due town.....\$1,233
The account with W. D. Archibald, due town.....\$4
The account with W. G. Short, due town.....11
In hands of present treasurer, C. N. Nickell.....22
Total due town.....\$37
We find the following outstanding claims the town which are unpaid:
One-half on fire engine bought in 1914.....\$175
C. D. Arnett, work on streets in 1916.....4
C. A. Turner, work on streets in 1915.....50
C. A. Turner, work on streets in 1918.....2
W. H. Mapker, account.....2
Ed Day, shop work.....1
Arnett & Prater, 10 months service town attorneys.....1
Total outstanding claims.....\$247
Balance due town after all claims are paid.....\$1,208
EDGAR COCHRAN, Committee.
D. R. KEETON, Committee.

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